GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Guntur District - Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) – Departmental proceedings under rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CC & A) Rules, 1991 for Violation of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 - Articles of charges – Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 396 **Dated: 07-07-2021**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.93, Revenue (Vig.III) Department, Dt:19.04.2021.
2. G.O.Rt.No.220, Revenue (Vig.III) Department, Dt:19.04.2021.

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ORDER:

In pursuance of the sanction accorded in the reference 1st read above, it is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Articles of charges (Annexure—I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure – III & IV).

3. Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) is directed to submit, within 10 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defense.

4. Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defense on or before the date specified in Para—3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) is invited to Rule 24 of A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V. USHARANI,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri K. Prakash Babu, former Tahsildar, KVB Puram, Chittoor District (Retd) through the Collector & District Magistrate, Chittoor.

Copy to:
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Collector & District Magistrate, Chittoor.
Sf/Sc.

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ANNEXURE-I

ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI K. PRAKASH BABU, FORMER TAHSILDAR, KVB PURAM, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD).

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Article -I:

While working as Tahsildar, K.V.B. Puram Mandal, he has made web land entries in favour of Sri P.Yugandhar S/o Vijaya Raghava Reddy for the lands in Sy.No.80 extent 3.99 acs and Sy.No.79-5 extent 1.00 acs of Siddamanaidu Kandriga village on 25.04.2016 at 19.25 hrs and then kept in dispute register on 30.06.2016 at 3.38 PM without verifying the records, though the same were assigned in the name of Smt S.Salamma and Smt N.Reddemma respectively as per Revenue Records.

Article -II:

While working as Tahsildar, K.V.B. Puram Mandal, he has kept the lands in Sy.No.80 extent 3.99 acs and Sy.No.79-5 extent 1.00 acs of Siddamanaidu Kandriga village in dispute register in web land records, without conducting thorough enquiry and reporting to the higher authorities. Thus, he has shown laxity in attending official duty and made irregular entries for pecuniary gain. Thus he has violated Rule 3 (1) (2) (3) of A.P.C.S. Conduct Rules, 1964.

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ANNEXURE-II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS IN SUPPORT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI K. PRAKASH BABU, FORMER TAHSILDAR, KVB PURAM, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD).

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Smt B.Sreedevi W/o B.Murugesan, resident of Karvetinagar (V&M) has put in a petition against the Tahsildar, KVB Puram Mandal that he has removed the names of DKT Pattadars for the land in Sy.No. 80 and 79-5 of Siddamanaidu Kandriga village and entered the name of Sri P.Yugandhar in the year 2016.

During enquiry by the Vigilance & Enforcement officials, it was noticed that the land in Sy.No.80 of Siddamanaidu Kandriga Village measuring an extent of 3.99 acs classified as AWD as per Fair Adangal and assigned in favour of Smt Sakam Salamma W/o S.Munaswamy Naidu vide DKT No.1/4/95 dt.4.12.85 by the then MRO, Kovanur and PPB was also issued vide 1-B khata No. 200, registered in Adangals pertaining to faslies 1401 to 1405, 1410, 1418 to 1421, 1423. In IB register & Adangals pertaining to faslies 1419 to 1421, the details of pattadar Smt S.Salamma were rounded off without any authentication and the details of Sy.No. 80 were carry forwarded to the name of Sri P.Yugandhar 1-B Khata No.88. But, 1-B khata No.88 allotted to Smt A.Dhanamma for land Sy.No. 103-5 was rounded off without any attestation and kept blank, in the blank katha the details of Sri P.Yugandhar are entered. Further, as per web land history the name of Smt S.Salamma stands registered from 08.11.2011 to 25.04.2016, on 25.04.2016 at 19.25 hrs, the name of Sri P.Yugandhar was entered and then kept in dispute register on 30.06.2016 at 3.38 PM by the then Tahsildar, KVB Puram basing on the recommendation of the then MRI, KVB Puram though DKT patta was not issued to Sri P.Yugandhar as per office records.

Further, the land in Sy.No. 79-5 of Siddamanaidu Kandriga measuring an extent of 0.98 acs was sub divided from Sy.No. 79-4 and assigned in favour of Smt A.Desamma W/o Gopal vide DKT No.382/1405 dt.16.02.1996 by the then MRO, KVB Puram. The name of pattadar was rounded off vide patta No.384 and the name of Smt N.Reddemma W/o Venkataiah was entered with corrected extent 1.00 acs without cancellation order details and again entered the same details vide patta No.417. As per DKT Register & file, DKT patta issued to Smt N.Reddemma vide DKT No.683/4/1417 dt.23.12.2007 for the land in Sy.No.79- 5 1.00 acs by the then MRO, KVB Puram, PPB also issued vide Khata No.329 & registered in Adangals for faslies from 1419 to 1421. Then, the name of Smt N.Reddemma was rounded off without any authentication and the name of Sri P.Yugandhar was entered. Further, as per web land history the name of Smt N.Reddemma stands registered from 08.11.2011 to 25.04.2016, on 25.04.2016 at 19.25 hrs, the name of Sri P.Yugandhar was entered and then kept in dispute register on 30.06.2016 3.38 PM by the then Tahsildar, KVB Puram on the recommendation of the then MRI though DKT patta was not issued to Sri P.Yugandhar as per office records.

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ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI K.PRAKASH BABU, FORMER TAHSILDAR, KVB PURAM, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD) ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

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Vigilance report No. 25 (C.No.932/V&E/D1/2020) dt.29.12.2020.

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ANNEXURE-IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI K.PRAKASH BABU, FORMER TAHSILDAR, KVB PURAM, CHITTOOR DISTRICT (RETD) ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

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